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Title : Method And System For User Information
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith please find the following documents in the above-identified application for Letters Patent of the United States, which claims the benefit of Provisional Application Serial No. 60/220,869, filed July 26, 2000:

- 1st Pages of Abstract
- 16 Pages of Specification
- 39 Number of Claims
- 6 Sheets of Drawings
- 4 Assignment and Recordation Form Cover Sheet

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